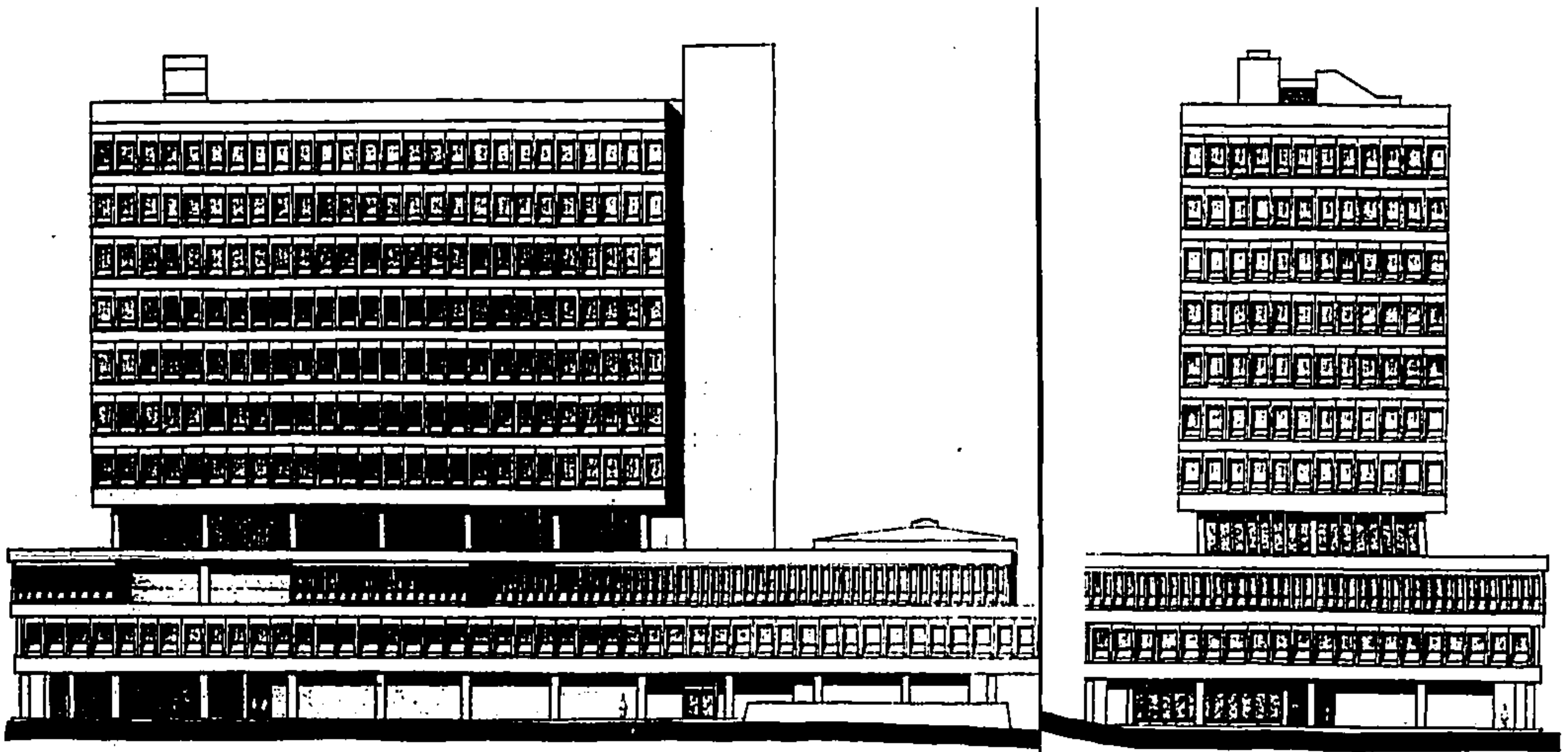




STEEL TO RISE IN NOVEMBER



J.R. Harrison, Director of Physical Plant and Planning has announced that authorization to proceed with the new seven-story tower on the Parker Building has been received and tenders for steel work have been accepted. Work is scheduled to start in October or November with November 1967 as the terminal date.

Costing two and half million dollars, the tower will house the Library on the 5th, 6th, and 7th floors and faculty offices and seminar rooms on the 8th floor. The 9th floor will contain the Registrar's Offices with the Business and Accounting offices on the 10th floor. The top story will contain Executive and Senate rooms.

The present three floors will also undergo change. Expansion of the ground floor will provide a greater reading room. The 2nd floor stacks will be made into a study hall with the remaining offices given over to direct student needs. The 3rd floor will be expanded in the direction of the Great Hall and contain Library audio-visual facilities, and periodicals.

Also scheduled to start soon is work on the second Science Building. Although final costs are not yet available, it is estimated that "Science II" will cost in the vicinity of five million dollars. It is to house the Mathematics, Physics and until phase 3 the Geology departments. The Chemistry and Biology departments are to remain in

Science I.

As well as research facilities and offices the new building will contain 2 auditoria each having a capacity of 150 students and one auditorium seating 350. All three will have provision for television teaching but this equipment will not be installed until needed in future. Director J.A. Harrison and Mr. Keith Wagland, who works with Dr. Thomas Howarth in co-ordinating the Laurentian Master Plan, explained that the new building will contain research labs on the exterior perimeters and teaching labs on the interior. These windowless rooms are felt to be more efficient.

Science II will be air-conditioned as needed. Added features will be large storage areas and a large science library.

The firm of Marani, Rounthwaite, and Dick of Toronto have been designated as architects. Mr. Rounthwaite is designer of the Athletic Building and the Arts Building. Unlike the tower, Science II will not be completed until at least March of 1969, this long time is made necessary by the fact that 30 weeks will be needed to complete drawings of the building. Actual construction is to take 20 months.

Mr. Harrison stated that the planetarium, social sciences building, and additions to the Avery Building are now in the preliminary planning stages.



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NEW PARKING SIGNS WATCH OUT

Something new has been added to the traffic scene at Laurentian. New traffic signs have replaced the long-winded bilingual monsters. But watch out for the new signs, unless you have driven in the Alps they will be unfamiliar.

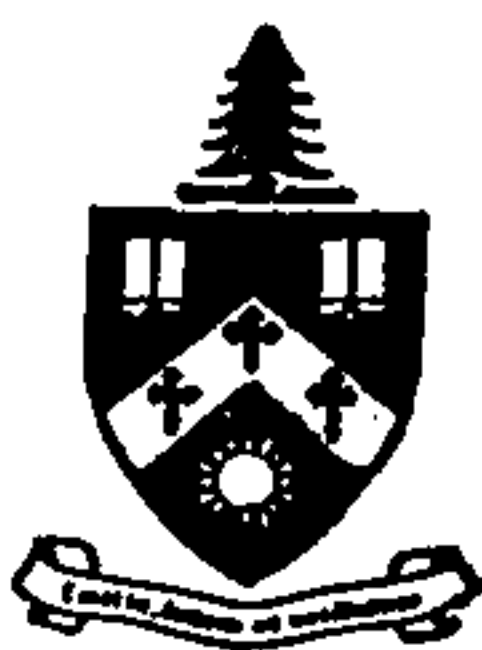
J.R. Harrison informs Lambda that the new pictorial adaption of the international traffic sign system is being implemented to cut costs and make signs easier to read. Don't panic about a trans-shaped STOP sign, STOP is universal.

The new system generally follows that advocated by the Canadian Good Roads Association and is in use in Montreal and much of Quebec province.

In addition, for safety purposes, no "on street" parking will be allowed. The present "favourite corner" by the Parker Building will be cleared of all vehicles as ordered by the Fire Marshall's Office.

END OF THE MUD

Laurentian's roads will be cleaned up shortly. J.R. Harrison has announced that paving will start this month on the road between the Federated Colleges and the main Laurentian buildings.



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FEES INCREASED TO HELL WITH TRUST

Administrators are as a rule excellent tacticians. We sometimes picture them as Generals plotting a war to get their own way. Yet this, we hope, is not true. Assumedly they act in the best interests of all concerned. And it was in this light that we viewed the increase in fees this year. Tuition was raised from a total of \$400.00 to \$535.00. Not a great amount, but still a raise. And open to question. We quote from page 28 of the current Calendar:

"The full-time fees of \$535.00 for the 1966-67 session include an amount of \$70.00 covering incidental fees for registration, athletics, health services, students general association, college association AND GRADUATION."

But sir, I only want to graduate once. There is the possibility that for the next two years the University is taking a loss on graduation fees, but there is also the possibility that they are not.

Back to the point — the fee increase was announced unofficially in May in the Huntington publication "The Trumpet". To the best of our knowledge neither the S.G.A. nor any individual students were officially notified of the increases or the reason for it. We have it on good authority that the Minister of University Affairs said earlier in 1966 that increases in fees would not be necessary because of increased government grants. Was the silence about the raise necessary? Certainly it avoided riots and hunger strikes, but did it inspire a feeling of trust or one of "We've been rooked again?"

In their study "University Government in Canada", Sir James Duff and Professor Robert O. Berdahl question the present method of implementing policy in Canadian Universities. In particular they hold that students now feel like "customers" rather than members of the university community.

We wish to offer this quotation from page 67 of their study for your serious thought.

"We recommend that the plan which has been successfully employed at Queen's University and at the Scottish Universities be generally followed. Under this formula the students elect a Rector, NOT HIMSELF A STUDENT, to represent them as a full member of the Board (of Governors). . . . Such a Rector should act as the articulate spokesman for student interests on Board matters that bear even remotely on student interests. As an example, he should suggest consultation with students BEFORE the Board decides to raise student tuition fees. The final decision may still have to be the same, but if the necessity to raise fees has been carefully explained to the students ahead of time, mutual trust will have been greatly enhanced."

We believe in the usefulness of good will fostered by mutual trust. We believe that a Rector is needed at Laurentian. It would not be necessary to amend the Acts of the Legislature concerning the University to institute such an office, for section 14 and 18 of the Act would allow the Board of Governors to appoint a person nominated by the students to their rank.

The decision must be made. Are we customers or citizen?

Letters to the Editor

Dear Sir,

A Frosh, as I soon learned during the frosh week initiations, does not stick his neck out.

However, being granted anonymity by the Editor of Lambda, I would like to air what I believe is a valid complaint.

The initial, and for out-of-town students, the only initial impression of a university is its calendar. If no calendar is available, it is impossible for a prospective student to gain any clear idea of courses and programs offered.

It is said that Laurentian University is a unique experiment designed specifically to fill the needs of Northern Ontario. But surely

the university would be richer, if the students attending were representative of a far greater portion of Canada. And surely these potential students cannot be reached unless a calendar is printed and available at least three months before registration.

Two questions should be answered by those responsible:

1) Is it Laurentian's policy that by publishing a late calendar the student body be confined to immediate residents of the Sudbury area? 2) When will the calendar be published next year?

Yours Sincerely,

D.C.A.



DICK FOLEY, tenor guitarist with The Brothers Four, finds time to make time with three Laurentian co-eds. Shown with Foley and very much at ease are (l. to r.) Linda Chayka, an unidentified student and Rita Leroux.

RUMORS AND C.U.S.

As usual rumours are running wild on campus. The "Big Question" now being asked concerns Laurentian's membership in the Canadian Union of Students. Rumour has it that the S.G.A. Council will be asked to pass a motion withdrawing L.U. from membership in the national organization. When asked to comment on these rumours S.G.A. President John Rose said, "Strictly rumours, strictly rumours."

The possibility of membership in Union Generale des Etudiants de Quebec has also been rumoured. About this French Vice-President Jacques de Courville Nicol said, "Rumours, seulement des rumeurs".

Said English Vice-President John Holby, "We must seriously consider the implications of withdrawal from C.U.S., and at the same time amount of money we are taking from our students to send to C.U.S. and the Ontario Region C.U.S. (\$80 per student). I have always been concerned about the amount of non-student work carried on by C.U.S. For example, the recently proposed fact-finding trip to Vietnam is a gross waste of money. Similar is a gross evident in junkets around the country on conferences. These are nothing more than paid vacations. The C.U.S. files in the S.G.A. office are filled with garbage pumped out by the C.U.S. bureaucracy. They have "postal diarrhoea". We must decide whether to try internal reformation or wash our hands of the national organization."

Among the projects sponsored by C.U.S. are a low cost life insurance program, travel discounts, and the famous push for "universal accessibility to higher education" and free tuition.

"C. U. S. FEES UP

Doug Ward President of CUS — Executives need more m money.

National CUS fees have gone up from \$60 to \$65 a head. The primary purpose is an increase in salary to the executives and to cover costs for two new roving secretaries, one of whom will be working specifically in the maritime area.

MEMORIAL QUITS

(Lat. Gazette)

The Memorial University of Newfoundland, Monday pulled out of the Canadian Union of Students, leaving charges of irrelevancy and bureaucracy behind it.

Rex Murphy, 1965-66 student president at Memorial, called CUS a bureaucracy administering unto itself and backed his charges with a 20-minute emotional polemic. "CUS is not worth \$2,500 to Memorial and not worth 60 cents to each student because he does not get anything from CUS."

"We are too exhausted to continue, we must resign," Murphy said.

He said Memorial joined the union four years ago, and began a study asking CUS' secretariat and Canadian student leaders what CUS is.

"I weep to admit that we could not get a satisfactory answer," Murphy said.

He said Memorial's resignation was not one of negative criticism and urged other delegations to reconsider their own positions in the union.

Plenary chairman Doug Ward ruled Memorial's withdrawal effective at the end of the 30th Congress, giving it the right to continue participation in business sessions.

At Saturday's opening plenary, Marionopolis College and Loyola University both of Montreal, also withdrew their CUS memberships in favor of joining the Union Generale des Etudiants de Quebec.

ONTARIO GOVERNMENT GIVES EDUCARE GREATEST PRIORITY

Ottawa (CUP) — Contrary to the federal government, the Ontario provincial government places a higher priority on federal aid to education than it does on medical insurance for all Canadians.

Premier John Robarts told the federal-provincial tax structure committee Wednesday (Sept. 14) that Ontario supports the principle of universal public medicare, but welcomed the decision of the federal government to postpone its scheme until July 1, 1967.

However, the provincial government does not approve of postponing federal aid to education until July of 1967.

"While Ontario believes firmly in the desirability of universal medicare schemes for Canadians, we are convinced that . . . expenditures on higher education deserve the greatest priority," the Premier said.

Medicare is already universally available in Ontario through the Ontario Medical Services Insurance Plan and various private insurance schemes, but it does not have sufficient facilities and personnel to accommodate and teach students already in their final high school years, he said.

Notice

The following positions are available in the S.G.A. Applications should be made in writing to Council and sent to the S.G.A. Office, Room L 126: — EDITORS OF LAMBDA (English and French), LAURENTIANA, CALDERA, and the STUDENT DIRECTORY. CHAIRMAN of the ENGLISH CULTURAL COMMITTEE, SOCIAL CHAIRMAN, CHIEF RETURNING OFFICER of S.G.A. ELECTIONS, STAFF for all of the above.

MORE FROM C.U.S. WITHDRAWALS

Ottawa (CUP) — The 170,000-member Canadian Union of Students Monday lost one of its strongest members, when the University of Alberta students' council voted to withdraw immediately from the association.

A telegram informing CUS President Doug Ward of Edmonton's decision to leave the organization was received today (Tuesday, Sept. 20) in Ottawa.

Edmonton council president Branny Schepanovich has for several months criticized CUS for overextending itself in its activities, and at the 30th Congress earlier this month threatened to pull his university delegation out of CUS.

The sudden pull-out drew an expression of "disappointment" from Ward, who said he would personally encourage and assist the Edmonton campus in any future move back to the CUS fold.

"I am glad that Branny has the strength of his convictions," the CUS president said. "Alberta traditionally has been one of the strongest members of CUS . . ."

Schepanovich's opposition to CUS policy, particularly in the area of international affairs, extends back to the day when he was elected council president — March 4.

Earlier this summer he sent a circular to all council presidents warning them against "over-extension."

The circular questioned the CUS national executive's right to make policy statements on world issues while at the same time claiming to represent the opinion of all Canadian students. It urged delegations to the 30th Congress to consider restricting CUS to activities which only directly involve university and other post-secondary students in Canada.

When his proposals failed to receive support at this month Congress, Schepanovich threatened to pull out of CUS.

"We can do without CUS," Schepanovich was quoted as saying in Edmonton last March, "but the question is, can CUS do without us?"

CUS chief Ward, however, expressed little concern Tuesday about the financial implications of Edmonton's withdrawal.

Edmonton's 11,000-student enrolment would have added an estimated \$7,000 to CUS coffers this year, but five-cent per capita fee increase approved at this year's Congress will more than cancel this out.

Ward said CUS will probably embark on a fund-raising campaign to raise money for its depleted budget, and denied there will be any cutbacks in CUS projects this year.

"It means we're going to have to work harder . . ." he said. "It will be a smaller and a tighter union now."

Asked what effect the withdrawal will have on the \$280,000 cultural and athletic festival scheduled for next March on the University of Alberta and University of Calgary campuses, Ward said:

"I have no comment on this. I don't know what other councils will have to say, and I wouldn't want to prejudice their opinions."

The festival, called Second Century Week, has received backing from CUS and financial support from the Centennial Commission and Alberta government, as well as from private individuals and companies.

With Edmonton's absence from CUS membership rolls, the organization has 43 members, representing about 160,000 students in Canadian post-secondary institutions.



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A Choral Union is being organized now by Mr. Laderoute. Eight voice scholarships will be offered to members of the Choral Union for private study with Mr. Laderoute. Anyone interested should contact Mr. Laderoute in Room L-223, Parker Building — Extension 287.

Eventually the Choral Union will go on concert tour, and it is the wish of the Director to have Laurentian University represented at the 1967 Exposition in Montreal by the Choral Union in a full concert.

Rehearsals are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 5:30 — 6:30 p.m. in Room 114.

Brief Note

With able supervision of Sophs and Seniors, the very energetic Frosh managed to collect \$800.00 on the W.U.S.C. Shoe Shine. This money will go towards "self-help" schemes operated by W.U.S.C.'s International Program of Action.

As an example of the good the money will do, the funds collected by W.U.S.C. at L.U. will provide eye examinations and glasses for 375 students abroad. W.U.S.C. Chairman Andrew Vujnovich expressed thanks to all concerned in the drive.

Special thanks goes to Jeannie Melness for her organizing the drive. Lambda congratulates all those involved.

Treasure Van Sale

by A. Vujnovich

If you are looking for a Christmas present or birthday Gift for come to Treasure Van. You will find many unique items that have never before been offered for sale in Canada. Come in and browse around in this modern "Arabian Nights" bazaar. Examine and handle the fascinating articles... there is no obligation to buy.

This World University Service of Canada project started in a small way 1952 as a novel means of helping craftsmen in developing countries. It aroused the interest of other Canadians in the cultures of other lands and it helped to raise funds to finance major WUSC projects.

As a result of the enthusiasm and resourcefulness of succeeding generations of students the variety of exotic objects exhibited and sold each year has continued to grow. At its new impressive height it will arrive on campus to be set up in the Art Gallery where the sale will be until Oct. 7, 1968.

The Treasure Van Sale is organized by World University Service of Canada, a voluntary association of students and professors on campus. The profit from the sale of goods help to further the work of WUSC in organizing seminars and conferences, providing scholarships, send Canadian students abroad, helping overseas students in Canada, and contributing to the growth of universities in developing countries.

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HUGH ARMSTRONG ELECTED TO TOP C.U.S. POST

Halifax (CUP) — A 1966 graduate from Carleton University was elected to the position of president of the Canadian Union of Students here Sept. 9.

Hugh Armstrong, full-time president of the union's Ontario region and a graduate in political science and history, beat out Don Mitchell of University Saskatchewan Regina campus and Wayne Hankey of King's College, for the job.

Armstrong said he will spend the coming year learning about CUS in his role with ORCUS, and during his term of office will strive for universal accessibility to post-secondary education.

GOOD SHIP BURNED BY VANDALS

"It was a petty, petty caper showing the low mentality of those concerned."

— K.R. Vallin

"I almost lost a car."

Barry Graham

And so it was that collegiate rivalry were probable motivating forces for the setting afire of The Good Ship Huntington in the early hours of Sept. 21.

Although most residents slept through the activities, the fire was of sufficient size to destroy half of the ship and threaten nearby vehicles. The Sudbury Fire Department responded to the alarm with five vehicles as they are required to do when a call is received from the University. Damage to the ship is estimated at over \$100.00.

Both, the Principal of Huntington and the Provost of Thorneloe expressed concern and anger at the action. Provost Forth said he would take all possible measures to investigate the matter. Principal Newbery's statement was of a theological nature and not printable.

It is now understood that those responsible are being dealt with. Dean of Students Maurice Regimbal expressed his regret and disappointment in the act. These sentiments were echoed by most students who felt that the act prejudiced the good name of the University.

New Deal Promised To Quebec Students

Montreal (CUP) — Marcel Masse, minister without portfolio attached to the education department, has told Quebec students a "new deal" in student aid will be in effect by Dec. 15.

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Government payments to students will be delayed by one month as the bill for student aid is to be tabled at the next session of legislature in October.

To offset this situation, Education Minister Jean-Jacques Bertrand has asked universities to give students more time to pay their fees.

The government will also in-

tiate a student loan system providing loans of \$700 for the first three years of university and \$800 for the fourth year.

Students needing more money can apply for non-repayable bursary grants of up to \$1,200.

Mr Masse also announced the creation of a seven-man working committee designated by UGEQ, labor organizations and the government to supervise the implementation of the new plan.

There is the first time UGEQ will have a permanent advisory function in the education department.

UGEQ officials say they accept the new loan system as a "temporary measure" until free education is instituted on two conditions: that the loan ceiling be reduced to \$500 and \$600 and supplemented by bursaries, and that the government integrate the new plan with a free education and student salary policy.

Laval and l'Université de Montreal, the more radical UGEQ members, have already threatened to withhold tuition fees unless the loan system is revised.

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